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SUBJECT: TIRE RETREAD FACILITY

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1. DECISION TO DELAY ON SIGNING CONTRACT STILL HOLDS AND IS DIRECTLY TIED TO COFS'S VISIT TO S.A. DAO SOURCE HAS CONFIRMED TO DATT THAT YARG HAS ALL ALONG EXPECTED TO GET FUNDING FOR THIS FACILITY FROM S.A. AS PART OF OVERALL SAUDU MILITARY

ASSISTANCE TO YARG, THIS STILL HOLDS.

2. SAME SOURCE CLAIMS THAT INITIAL YARG PUSH FOR THIS FACILITY ASAP WAS BASED ON EARLIER YARG-SAG UNDERSTANDING THAT SA WOULD FINANCE THE FACILITY. EVENTS OF EARLY JULY CONCERNING ENTIRE SAUDI-US MILITARY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FOR YARG RESULTED IN SUDDEN YARG FREEZE ON ANY FURTHER PROGRAM FACILITY UNTIL

BIGGER QUESTION OF WHICH DIRECTION YARG WILL TAKE WITH RESPECT TO MILITARY ASSISTANCE IS SETTLED.

3. WE ARE QUITE OPTIMISTIC THAT CONTRACT WILL BE SIGNED, BUT SEE NO POSSIBILITY OF THIS OCCURING PRIOR TO RETURN OF COFS FROM SA.
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